## PATENT OF INVENTION

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## PROCESS FOR PREPARING FUNCTIONALIZED POLYALKYLENEIMINES, COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM AND USES THEREOF

## ABSTRACT

The present invention relates to a process for preparing functionalized polyalkyleneimines which are useful for formulating nucleic acids intended to be transfected into cells. This process consists in treating polyalkyleneimines with a functionalized hemiacetal in the presence of titanium (IV) isopropoxide and sodium borohydride.